**Mr. A. N. Satyanesan** : പരിക്ഷണാർത്ഥം ഏർപ്പെടുത്തിയുള്ള ഈ ഏർപ്പാട് ഇനിപ്പോരുമോണെന്നു കാണുന്നപക്ഷം അതു സ്ഥിരപ്പെടുത്താൻ ഭയവുണ്ടാകുമോ?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi** : തീർച്ചയായും.

*Revision of pay of teachers.*

192. ***Mr. K. G. Narayana Panicker** : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether any memorial has been received praying for revision of pay of teachers who hold Vernacular Higher Examination certificates ; and

(*b*) if so, whether any action has been taken on this matter?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi** : (*a*) No.

(*b*) This does not arise in view of the answer to part (a).

*Purchase of text books.*

193. ***Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar** (*Nominated*) : Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the total average amount in rupees which the boys and girls attending the various educational institutions in the State including the Colleges are paying per annum for the purchase of text books?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi** : The time and labour involved in the preparation of the statement are out of all proportion to its possible utility.

**Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar** : May I know from the member whether the price of the books will amount to crores of rupees or only to lakhs?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi** : Several lakhs of rupees because books will have to be purchased by nearly 9 lakhs of pupils. They are books not only in the languages but in other subjects also.

**Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar** : May I know whether there is a complaint that the students have to pay price much greater than what is prescribed ?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi** : We have fixed the price of the books. If any book-seller sells books at a higher price, he will be penalised.

*English School for Girls, Alleppey.*

194. ***Mr. S. Veeriah Reddiar** : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether they are aware that the present Government English School for Girls teaches only up to the 3rd Form ;

(*b*) that girls who are promoted from the above school are mostly obliged to join the S. D. V. English School along with boys ;

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[Mr. S. Veeriah Reddiar.]

(*c*) that the girl students of the present Girls' School come entirely from the eastern portions of the town;

(*d*) that the Convent is situated very far away from the eastern portions of the town; and

(*e*) whether they will open the 4th, 5th and 6th Forms in the Government Girls' School within the next three years?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi:** (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Not entirely from the eastern portions, but from the southern portions of the town also.

(*d*) The Convent is situated some 2 miles west of the Departmental English Middle School for Girls; it may be more distant from the eastern part of the town.

(*e*) This will be considered.

*Dearness allowance to teachers in aided Schools.*

195. * **Mr. A. Gabriel Nadar** (*Kalkulam and Vilavancode cum Neyyattinkara*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of aided English High Schools in which the respective managements have not paid dearness allowance to the teachers during the past two school years?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi:** 8 Schools.

**Mr. K. G. Narayana Panicker:** May I know from the member the names of the management who do not pay dearness allowance to the teachers?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi:**

L. F. E. H. School for Girls, Pulinkunnu
The Christian Mahilalayam, Alwaye
St. Francis E. H. School for Girls, Alwaye
St. Joseph's E. H. School for Girls, Varapuzha
St. Aloysious E. H. School for Girls, Parur
St. Jos E. H. School for Girls, Nagercoil
St. Theresa's E. H. School for Girls, Neyyattinkara
S. N. M. E. H. School, Mothakunnam.

**Mr. A. N. Satyanesan:** ഇതിൽ ശ്രീചിത്രയും, കത്തോലിക്ക് മാനേജ്മെന്റിൽ നടത്തുന്നതുമൊന്നാണോ ഞാൻ മനസ്സിലാക്കേണ്ടത്?

**Mr. A. Narayanan Tampi:** പേരിൽ നിന്നും മനസ്സിലാക്കാനേ തരമുള്ളൂ.

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